



## Elementary

1. ANTS
2. APE
3. BULL
4. CAT
5. DOG
6. FISH
7. GOOSE

- a. Hullafáradt: be dog tired
- b. úgy dolgozik, mint a hangyák: work like ants
- c. mint az elefánt a porcelánboltban: like a bull in a china shop
- d. elrontani valaki terveit: cook someone's goose
- e. nagyon izgatott lenni: go ape
- f. nagyagyú: fat cat
- g. jobb dolgom is van: have other fish to fry

1. When I'm dog tired, I don't get up until 11.
2. If you work like ants, you will get a promotion.
3. He always behaves like a bull in a china shop so he always hurts everyone.
4. My brother cooked my goose because I wanted to organize the party.
5. The boys went apes before the world championship final, and then they were very sad because their favourite team lost.
6. Although he is a fat cat he stayed like he was before.
7. I won't wait any longer. I have other fish to fry. I hate wasting my time.

## Intermediate

1. bird
2. bug
3. bull
4. cat
5. cats
6. cat
7. fish

- a. bad-tempered: be a bag of cats
- b. have the same hobby or interest: be bitten by the same bug
- c. looking to hear a compliment for one's own self: fish for compliments
- d. someone told me, but I won't tell you who: a little bird told me
- e. be very happy: grin like a Cheshire cat
- f. warning, don't want to know things that are not your business: curiosity killed the cat
- g. face and tackle a problem without shirking: take the bull by the horns

1. She ALWAYS GRINS LIKE A CHESHIRE CAT, I really envy her for her ability to be so optimistic in all situations.
2. I don't like women who are always FISHING for compliments. I think everyone should be aware of their abilities and faults without people's telling them.
3. How do you know about this? I haven't even told you yet! – A LITTLE BIRD TOLD ME.
4. Don't be so indecisive. Just TAKE THE BULL BY THE HORNS.
5. What did you tell her? – CURIOSITY KILLED THE CAT.
6. We get on very well with each other, and we have a lot in common, for example we ARE BITTEN BY THE SAME BUG.



7. Don't disturb her today. For one reason or another, she is A BAG OF CATS. I hope she will be better tomorrow.

## Advanced

1. snail
2. donkey
3. duck
4. lion
5. grasshopper

1. Hold your horses.
2. She had kittens
3. They're crocodile tears.
4. Hair of the dog.
5. He's a dark horse.
6. It's gone to the dogs.
7. He's no spring chicken.
8. Don't count your chickens.
9. He's a lone wolf.

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